

# **Campus Safety Services**

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#### REPORT OF BROCK UNIVERSITY CAMPUS SAFETY SERVICES

TO

#### THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF NIAGARA POLICE SERVICE BOARD

Date of Report: April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025

Date of Board Meeting: April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Chair Pat Chiocchio and Members of the Regional Municipality of Niagara Police Service Board

Reference: Quarterly Report on Brock University Special

Constables

**Recommendation:** Receive for Information

#### Background:

Brock University, Campus Safety Services presently has a Memorandum of Understanding (M.O.U.), which describes the ongoing formal relationship between the Regional Municipality of Niagara Police Service Board and Brock University.

This memorandum of understanding requires Brock University to supply information to the Board, on a quarterly basis, pertaining to complaints, use of force, discipline and arrests associated with officers designated as Special Constables. At present, there are fifteen staff members who have Special Constable status at the University to date. In compliance with the current M.O.U, the following information is provided for the Board's consideration. This M.O.U was updated on February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2025, in order to align with the new Community Safety and Policing Act and Regulation 396/23 as it applies to Special Constables.

## **COMPLAINTS**

During the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2025, there were no public complaints that resulted in discipline in relation to any Special Constable of Campus Safety Services.

## **USE OF FORCE**

During the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2025, the Special Constables did not require the application of use of force options in the performance of their duties.

#### DISCIPLINE

During the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2025, there were no occurrences that resulted in the arrest of any Special Constables at Campus Safety Services. There was one Special Constable that was disciplined in relation to an internal conduct complaint. The member received the penalty of 35 hours of unpaid leave.

## **MONTHLY STATISTICS**

Campus Safety Services produces a chart which captures calls for service and crime related statistics. The types of calls and their frequency tend to vary over the course of a calendar year, given the higher populations associated with the Fall and Winter Terms. Attached are statistics for the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2025 (January, February and March), as well as data from the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2024 for comparative purposes.

Relevant Policy Considerations: Memorandum of Understanding between

the Niagara Regional Police Service and

**Brock University** 

Cost of Recommendations: Nil

Alternative Options: Not Receive Report

**Reasons for Recommendation:** Compliance with quarterly reporting

requirements of Board and University

agreement.

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